

INVITATION TO BID

FOR PROJECTS ESTIMATED TO COST LESS THAN \$500,000.00

FOR CURRENTLY CERTIFIED SET-ASIDE CONTRACTORS ONLY

This "Invitation To Bid" is *limited* to participation by *current* **certified** "Set-Aside Contractors" that have been certified by the Connecticut Department of Administrative Services (DAS) by the "bid opening date."

ADV. NO. 07-26-I

DATE OF INVITATION: July 13, 2007

SEALED BIDS ADDRESSED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS - STATE OF CONNECTICUT FOR:

Project Title:	Energy Conservation Improvements UConn Stamford Campus Stamford, Connecticut
Project Number:	BI-2B-176 (12)
Cost Estimate Range:	\$ 423,000. – \$468,000.
Plans & Specs Ready:	July 18, 2007
A NON-REFUNDABLE FEE OF PER SET IS REQUIRED	\$ NOT APPLICABLE
Examination and Acquisition of Plans & Specs	Plans and specifications (tel: (860) 713-5795) may be obtained at the STATE OF CONNECTICUT, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS SECTION, ROOM No. G-36, 165 CAPITOL AVENUE, HARTFORD, CT 06106., during the hours of 7:30 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. (Monday-Friday) or by addressing a request to the above address.
MBE Participation	6.25%
Pre-Bid Conference:	ALL PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND A PRE-BID CONFERENCE TO BE HELD AT 11:00 AM ON AUGUST 8, 2007 AT UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT AT STAMFORD, ONE UNIVERSITY PLACE, STAMFORD, CONNECTICUT, CONTACT AT SITE IS BILL JERIN; TEL. 860-713-5616.
Bid Opening Date:	August 16, 2007
Receipt of Bid Package	Bids will be <i>received</i> at the STATE OFFICE BUILDING, 165 CAPITOL AVENUE, HARTFORD, CT, 06106 in ROOM No. G-36 UNTIL 1:00 P.M. on the date shown above and thereafter publicly <i>opened</i> and <i>read</i> aloud in ROOM No. G-32.

Contractor/Consultant Certification	If awarded the subject contract and the contract has a value of \$50,000 or more the contractor will be required to sign and submit, at the time of contract execution, a <i>certification</i> , certifying that you, your company, and specified other individuals have given no gifts to DPW personnel and other individuals set forth in the Contractor/Consultant Certification . See the DPW home page, http://www.ct.gov/dpw , click on Affidavits, and then click on Contractor/Consultant Certification or see Conn. Gen. Stat. § 4-252. For the purposes of signing the Certification, the “date DPW began planning” the subject project or services is such date noted below.” Pursuant to Conn. Gen Stat. § 4-252(d) and Executive Order 7C, any bidder, proposer, or person required to submit the Contractor/Consultant Certification who does not make this certification shall be <i>disqualified</i> .
Date DPW Began Planning the Subject Project:	March 2003
Bid Security	As security , each bid must be accompanied by a CERTIFIED CHECK made payable to “Treasurer, State of Connecticut,” or the bid must be accompanied by a BID BOND, in the form required by the awarding authority and having surety thereto such Surety Company or Companies as are authorized to do business in this State and/or accepted by the Commissioner of the Department of Public Works for an amount not less than 10% of the bid if the bid is in excess of \$50,000.00 .
To access the Department of Public Works web site: http://www.state.ct.gov/dpw	
To access Executive Order #1: http://www.ct.gov/governorrell/cwp/view.asp?Q=276038&A=1720	
To access Executive Order #7c: http://www.ct.gov/governorrell/cwp/view.asp?A=1719&Q=317970	

Performance and Labor and Material Bonds to be furnished by the bidder awarded the contract shall be an amount not less than 100% of the contract price if the bid is in **excess of \$100,000.00**. The awarding authority reserves the right to waive technical defects or to reject any and all bids.

Nonresident contractors: *A certificate from the Commissioner of Revenue Services must be provided which evidences that Connecticut General Statutes Section 12-430 for non-resident contractors has been met. For details call the Department of Revenue Services at (860) 541-3280, ext. 7.*

EXECUTIVE ORDERS:

The Contract is subject to the provisions of Executive Order No. Three of Governor Thomas J. Meskill, promulgated June 16, 1971, concerning labor employment practices, Executive Order No. Seventeen of Governor Thomas J. Meskill, promulgated February 15, 1973, concerning the listing of employment openings and Executive Order No. Sixteen of Governor John G. Rowland promulgated August 4, 1999, concerning violence in the workplace, all of which are incorporated into and are made a part of the Contract as if they had been fully set forth in it. At the Contractor's request, the Client Agency shall provide a copy of these orders to the Contractor. The Contract may also be subject to Executive Order No. 7C of Governor M. Jodi Rell, promulgated July 13, 2006, concerning contracting reforms and Executive Order No. 14 of Governor M. Jodi Rell, promulgated April 17, 2006, concerning procurement of cleaning products and services, in accordance with their respective terms and conditions.

